



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Mark Hoffman et al.	Examiner:	Unknown
Serial No.:	10/688776	Group Art Unit:	1614
Filed:	October 17, 2003	Docket No:	1804.003US1
Title	ISOLATION OF LUTEIN FROM ALFALFA		

**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Missing Parts mailed January 30, 2004, said period of response being extended from March 30, 2004 to April 30, 2004.

**Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.  
Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelop addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 28 day of April 2004.

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